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Applicant or Patentee: Genco Genov, et al.

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Filed or Issued: August 4, 1998

For: ROBOT HAVING MULTIPLE DEGREES OF FREEDOM

**VERIFIED STATEMENT (DECLARATION) CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS
(37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9(f) AND 1.27(c)) - SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN**

I hereby declare that I am

- ☐ the owner of the small business concern identified below:
☒ an official of the small business concern empowered to act on behalf of the concern identified below:

NAME OF CONCERN Genmark Automation, Inc.

ADDRESS OF CONCERN 1213 Elko Drive, Sunnyvale, California 94089

I hereby declare that the above-identified small business concern qualifies as a small business concern as defined in 13 C.F.R. § 1.21 for purposes of paying reduced fees under Sections 41(a) and 41(b) of Title 35, United States Code, in that the number of employees of the concern, including those of its affiliates, does not exceed 500 persons. For purposes of this statement, (1) the number of employees of the business concern is the average, over the previous fiscal year of the concern, of the persons employed on a full-time, part-time, or temporary basis during each of the pay periods of the fiscal year, and (2) concerns are affiliates of each other when either, directly or indirectly, one concern controls or has the power to control the other, or a third party or parties controls or has the power to control both.

I hereby declare that rights under contract or law have been conveyed to and remain with the small business concern identified above with regard to the invention entitled ROBOT HAVING MULTIPLE DEGREES OF FREEDOM by inventor(s) Genco Genov (deceased), Alexander Todorov, Lubo Kostov, Peter Petkov, Valentin Totev, Eugene Bonev, and Zlatko M. Sotirov and described in

- ☐ the specification filed herewith
☒ Application No. 09/129,110 , filed August 4, 1998 .
☐ Patent No. _____ , issued _____ .

If the rights held by the above-identified small business concern are not exclusive, each individual, concern, or organization having rights to the invention is listed below,* and no rights to the invention are held by any person, other than the inventor, who would not qualify as an independent inventor under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9(c), or by any concern that would not qualify as either a small business concern under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9(d) or a nonprofit organization under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9(e).

*NOTE: Separate verified statements are required from each named person, concern, or organization having rights to the invention averring to their status as small entities. (37 C.F.R. § 1.27.)

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☐ individual ☐ small business concern ☐ nonprofit organization

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I acknowledge the duty to file, in this application or patent, notification of any change in status resulting in loss of entitlement to small entity status prior to paying, or at the time of paying, the earlier of the issue fee and any maintenance fee due after the date on which status as a small entity is no longer appropriate. (37 C.F.R. § 1.28(b).)

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code; and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this verified statement is directed.

NAME OF PERSON SIGNING Mila Genov

TITLE OF PERSON OTHER THAN OWNER President

ADDRESS OF PERSON SIGNING 1213 Elko Drive, Sunnyvale, CA 94089

SIGNATURE  DATE 10-7-98

COMBINED DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY
(Includes Reference to Provisional and PCT International Applications)

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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name. I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

ROBOT HAVING MULTIPLE DEGREES OF FREEDOM

the specification of which (check only one item below):

☐ is attached hereto.

☒ was filed as United States application

Number 09/129,110

on August 4, 1998

and was amended

on _____ (if applicable).

☐ was filed as PCT international application

Number _____

on _____

and was amended under PCT Article 19

on _____ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the Office all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 (a)-(e) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or of any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America listed below and have also identified below any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America filed by me on the same subject matter having a filing date before that of the application(s) of which priority is claimed:

PRIOR FOREIGN/PCT APPLICATION(S) AND ANY PRIORITY CLAIMS UNDER 35 U.S.C. §119:

COUNTRY (if PCT, indicate "PCT")	APPLICATION NUMBER	DATE OF FILING (day, month, year)	PRIORITY CLAIMED UNDER 35 U.S.C. §119
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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

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(Application Number)

March 22, 1996

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(Application Number)

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COMBINED DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY (CONTINUED)
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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States application(s) or PCT international application(s) designating the United States of America that is/are listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in that/those prior application(s) in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the Office all information known to me to be material to the patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations §1.56, which became available between the filing date of the prior application(s) and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

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U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER	U.S. FILING DATE	PATENTED	PENDING	ABANDONED
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I hereby appoint the following attorneys and agent(s) to prosecute said application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith and to file, prosecute and to transact all business in connection with international applications directed to said invention:

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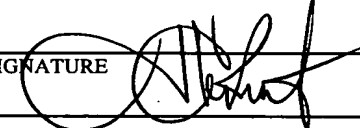

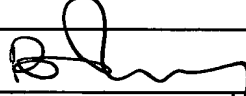
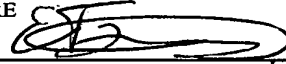
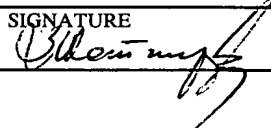
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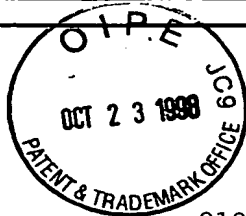
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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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INCAPACITATED INVENTOR (37 CFR 1.42 AND 1.43)**

I, Mila Genov
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hereby declare that I am a citizen of United States of America
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and that I am executing and signing the declaration to which this is attached as

(check one):

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☐ executor(trix) of the last will and testament of
☒ legal representative (or heirs) of
Genco Genov

Full name of (first, second etc.) deceased or incapacitated inventor
United States of America

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NOTE: The name of the first, second etc. deceased or incapacitated inventor should preferably also be filled in at the appropriate prior space of the declaration adding the words "deceased-completed on added page" or "incapacitated-completed on added page."

That, upon information and belief, I aver those facts that the inventor is required to state.

Date: 10-7-98

Mila Genov

Signature of administrator(trix), executor(trix)
 legal representative (or all heirs)

NOTE: Proof of authority of the administrator(trix), executor(trix) or legal representative must be recorded in the PTO or filed in the application before the grant of the patent. 37 CFR 1.44.

NOTE: Application may be made by the heirs of the inventor if a certificate of the court will establish that they are all the heirs and the estate was not required to appoint an administrator. If the heirs are signing add lines for all the heirs to sign. MPEP § 409.01(a).

(Added Page to Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Signing by Administrator(trix), Executor(trix) or Legal Representative on Behalf of Deceased or Incapacitated Inventor (37 CFR 1.42 and 1.43) [1-3])